

Summer
2019

KIDS KRAZE

Programs and activities
offered by



For more information, contact the Bloomington Parks and Recreation Department at 812-349-3700 or visit us at bloomington.in.gov/parks. Register at bloomington.in.gov/parks or stop by the office at City Hall, 401 N. Morton St., Suite 250.

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City of Bloomington, IN - Parks and Recreation

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SEE YOU AT THE POOLS!

[bloomington.in.gov/pools](http://bloomington.in.gov/parks/pools)
POOLS HOTLINE: 812-349-3741

BRYAN PARK POOL • 1020 S. Woodlawn Ave. Open May 25–September 2 • 11 a.m.–7 p.m. daily

Operating hours subject to change.

Zero-depth activity pool for children under age 10 yrs., two waterslides, diving board, 17' drop slide, and concessions.

ADMISSION RATES

\$5/person

Ages 3 yrs. and younger admitted free.

BRYAN PARK POOL BACK-TO-SCHOOL HOURS

SU	M	TU	W	TH	F	SA
8/4 11am–7pm	8/5 11am–7pm	8/6 11am–7pm	8/7 CLOSED	8/8 3:30–7pm	8/9 3:30–7pm	8/10 11am–7pm
8/11 11am–7pm	8/12 CLOSED	8/13 CLOSED	8/14 CLOSED	8/15 3:30–7pm	8/16 3:30–7pm	8/17 11am–7pm
8/18 11am–7pm	8/19 CLOSED	8/20 CLOSED	8/21 CLOSED	8/22 3:30–7pm	8/23 3:30–7pm	8/24 11am–7pm
8/25 11am–7pm	8/26 CLOSED	8/27 CLOSED	8/28 CLOSED	8/29 3:30–7pm	8/30 3:30–7pm	8/31 11am–7pm
9/1 11am–7pm	9/2 11am–7pm					

MILLS POOL • 1100 W. 14th St.

Open May 25–August 4 • 11 a.m.–7 p.m. daily

Large parking lot adjacent to pool at Tri-North Middle School. Zero-depth activity pool for children under age 10 yrs., water basketball, diving board, and waterslide.

ADMISSION RATES

\$5/person

Ages 3 yrs. and younger admitted free.

GROUP SWIM LESSONS

10 levels available

Levels are based on swimming ability.

\$60/in-city, \$70/non-city

Registrations are not accepted after the registration deadline.

Visit our website for detailed information.

Session I: M–Th • June 10–20 • Register by 5/31.

Session II: Sa • June 8–July 27 • Register by 5/31.

Session III: M–Th • July 8–18 • Register by 6/28.

Session IV: M–Th • July 29–Aug. 8 • Register by 7/12.

Summer Kickoff Celebration

Start your summer off right with a party in Bryan Park!

Friday, May 24

Bryan Park, 1001 S. Henderson St.

Sample the many programs, events, and activities hosted by Bloomington Parks and Recreation this summer.

Schedule of Events:

- 5–8 p.m.—Play Zone, active games and challenges
- 5:30–7:30 p.m.—FREE admission to Bryan Park Pool, Children under age 14 yrs. must be accompanied by a parent to enter the pool.
- 5:30 p.m.—Performance by Kid Kazooey & The Ballroom Roustabouts, storysinging dance music
- 7:15 p.m.—Performance by Cari Ray & The Shaky Legs, country blues

Sponsored by: Lisa J. Baker, DDS
“Crows while you wait.”

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Wednesday, June 12 • 10 a.m.–2 p.m.
Winslow Sports Complex, 2800 S. Highland Ave.

Get up close and personal with fire trucks, ambulances, buses, bucket trucks, and more.

\$1/per person • Pay an extra \$1 for unlimited rides down a monster truck combo slide!

Geared toward ages 1–10 yrs. • Rain date: June 13 • 10 a.m.–2 p.m.

Sponsored by: **Renewal by Andersen**
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For more information, call 812-349-3700.
Community Events Hotline: 812-349-3754

EXCEL TAE KWON DO

Classes for all ages.



This class focuses on coordination, discipline and self-confidence in a fun and safe environment. Excel TKD is taught by Master Emeline O'Connor, a 4th-degree black belt with more than 20 years of experience. Some of her achievements include multiple National and Junior Olympic Championships in the AAU and USSSA organizations, AAU and USSSA National team member, and the first woman to be inducted in the USSSA Hall of Fame. The ultimate goal at Excel TKD is to mold future black belts into the best martial artists they can be. Instructor: Emeline O'Connor

Beginner—Tuesdays and Thursdays, 5:30–6:30 p.m. • 250213-C

Advanced—Tuesdays, 6:45–7:45 p.m. and Thursdays, 5:30–6:30 p.m. • 250213-D

July 2–August 15 • \$65 • Register by 7/7.
Class does not meet 7/4.
Twin Lakes Recreation Center, 1700 E. Bloomfield Rd.

Look for summer camps information in our **KAMP KRAZE** issue!

Passport to Play



Earn prizes this summer as you explore and play your way through Bloomington Parks and Recreation!

NEW!

Pick up your passport, and take it with you to Bloomington Parks and Recreation parks, events, programs, and camps. Have a staff member initial the corresponding page in the passport. Check-ins will be held multiple times throughout the summer for you to show us your passport and redeem for prizes! Pick up your free passport at the Banneker Community Center, the Allison-Jukebox Community Center, Twin Lakes Recreation Center, and the Parks and Recreation office in City Hall.



For more information, contact Jess Klein at kleinj@bloomington.in.gov or visit bloomington.in.gov/parks.

Nature and the Outdoors

Price is per person. Children under age 12 yrs. must be accompanied by a registered adult. Activities may be both inside and outside, so please dress for the weather.

Get Outdoors Day

NEW!

Stop by the Plaza in front of City Hall during the Bloomington Community Farmers' Market to learn about opportunities to get outdoors. Give outdoor equipment a test run, play games, and pick up maps for the area's best hiking spots.

Sa 6/15 • 9 a.m.–noon

FREE • For all ages.

City Hall, 401 N. Morton St.

**HOOSIER
National
Forest**

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Bug Fest

Learn all about amazing insects at Bloomington's seventh annual Bug Fest! Handle cool insects, make a craft, and participate in mealworm races.



There will be speakers and information booths on a variety of buggy topics. This event is a collaboration of Bloomington Parks and Recreation, Monroe County Parks and Recreation, The WonderLab Museum, Purdue Extension office, and Hilltop Gardens at Indiana University.

Sa 6/22 • 10 a.m.–3 p.m.

FREE • For all ages.

Hilltop Gardens at Indiana University, 2367 E. 10th St.

Griffy Glow Float

NEW!

Explore Griffy Lake from the water at night with the added effect of glow sticks to illuminate your boats and paddle! Paddle on your own, or float alongside a naturalist to discuss local nocturnal wildlife. Each participant must register.

Watercraft, paddles and life jackets are provided. Children age 14 yrs. and younger must be accompanied by a registered adult. Bring a flashlight to help you navigate back to your vehicle once you return to dry land. Instructor: Becky Jania

W 6/26 • 9–10:30 p.m. • Register by 6/19 • 240004-A

\$8/in-city, \$9/non-city • For all ages.

Griffy Lake Nature Preserve, 3300 N. Headley Rd.

Tennis Lessons



Classes meet twice each week for four weeks.

Instructors are accomplished players. Typical student-to-teacher ratio is 5:1. For more information, contact Dee Tuttle at 349-3762 or tuttled@bloomington.in.gov.

Winslow Sports Complex, 2800 S. Highland Ave.

Outdoor Sports Hotline: 349-3610

for general information or weather-related cancellations

Summer Session II

\$41/in-city, \$49/non-city • Register by 7/3.

Beginner

M, W 7/8–7/31 • 5–5:45 p.m. • For ages 5–8 yrs. • 270201-2A

Tu, Th 7/9–8/1 • 5–5:45 p.m. • For ages 5–8 yrs. • 270201-2B

Tu, Th 7/9–8/1 • 5:45–6:30 p.m. • For ages 9–12 yrs. • 270201-2C

Intermediate

Tu, Th 7/9–8/1 • 6:30–7:15 p.m. • For ages 9–12 yrs. • 270201-2D

Private Tennis Lessons

If group lessons are not your style or if you like more personalized attention, private lessons are available from our group instructors.

Times are flexible. For more information, contact Dee Tuttle at 812-349-3762 or tuttled@bloomington.in.gov.

MESSY WASH

Prepare to get messy and dirty with these hands-on wacky, tacky, and gooey activities that are fun for all ages! The best part? No prep time and no cleanup for you! Wear old clothes and get ready for an epic morning of ooey, gooey, sudsy good fun.

Tuesday, July 9

9 a.m.–noon

**Bryan Park, 1001 S.
Henderson St.—
Henderson Shelter**

\$5/child • For ages 1–8 yrs. w/parent.

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Rain date: July 10, 9 a.m.–noon
For more information, call 812-349-3700.



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**Saturday,
August 3
1–4 p.m.**

**\$5 per person
For ages 3–12 yrs.
w/parent.**

Rev. Ernest D. Butler Park, 812 W. Ninth St.

Take a ride down a hundred-foot slip 'n slide on the best hill in town! Not a fan of slipping and sliding? Find your fun in an overflowing foam pit, and participate in water-themed games and crafts. This event is programmed for children, but parents are encouraged to bring their inner child and join in the fun. Wear a swimsuit to cool off in the hot summer sun, and savor the last days of summer break!

For more information, call 812-349-3700.

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**Saturday,
July 20
9–11 a.m.**

**For ages
5–10 yrs.
\$15/child
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Early bird registration deadline:
Friday, June 28 • \$15

Online registration deadline is
Thursday, July 18 at 5 p.m. • \$20

On-site registration will take place until 8:45 a.m.
the morning of the event, as space allows.
credit/debit card only • \$25

The triathlon includes a:

- 50-meter swim in Bryan Park Pool
- 1.5-mile cycle
- .5-mile run on the paved path around Bryan Park

There is an information session for athletes and parents at 5:30 p.m. on Thursday, July 18 at Bryan Park Pool.

For more information, contact Jess Klein at kleinj@bloomington.in.gov.